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Tallgrass Prairie National Preserve News Release

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Prairie Ecology and Plant Nature Walk at the Preserve



On Saturday June 6, from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., come to Tallgrass Prairie National Preserve to learn about prairie ecology and plants. Volunteer Naturalist Hank Tyler will be leading the hike along the Southwind Nature Trail. We suggest wearing long pants, floppy hat, closed toe shoes, and applying bug spray. Make your reservation by calling the park rangers at 620-273-8494 (then hit 0). All activities are free of charge. Come join the fun in learning about nature.

In celebration of the National Park Service 2016 Centennial, Tallgrass Prairie National Preserve invites you to discover the meaning of national parks, how your park inspires you - both in personal connections and memorable experiences. Tallgrass Prairie National Preserve is located two miles north of Strong City on Kansas State Highway 177 (the Flint Hills National Scenic Byway) and is a unique public/private partnership between the National Park Service and The Nature Conservancy. For more information, visit the preserve's Facebook page at http://www.facebook.com/NPS.TallgrassPrairie, website at www.nps.gov/tapr, email tapr interpretation@nps.gov, or call the preserve at (620) 273-8494. To learn more about The Nature Conservancy in Kansas, visit the Conservancy's website at www.nature.org/Kansas or Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/TNCKansas.

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